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First Named Inventor	John K. Jackson	
Art Unit	1617	
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Fee Transmittal Form    Fee Attached     Amendment/Response     After Final     Affidavits/declaration(s)     Extension of Time Request     Express Abandonment Request     Information Disclosure Statement; Form PTO-1449     Cited References     Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)     Response to Missing Parts under 37 C.F.R. 1.52 or 1.51     Response to Missing Parts/Incomplete Application	Drawing(s) Request for Corrected Filing Receipt Licensing-related Papers Petition Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application Power of Attorney, Revocation, Change of Correspondence Address Declaration Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) Terminal Disclaimer Request for Refund	CD(s), Number of CD(s)  After Allowance Communication to Technology Center (TC)  Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences  Appeal Communication to TC (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief)  Proprietary Information  Status Letter  Return Receipt Postcard  Additional Enclosure(s) (please identify below):  Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts					
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### **FEE TRANSMITTAL** for FY 2005

Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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1. BASIC FILING				
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2. EXTRA CLAIM	FEES FO	R UTIL	ITY AND REIS	
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Total Claims 62	-2	20 =	42 .	9 = 378
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3. ADDITIONAL FEES Large Entity Small					
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	65
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2520	1812	2520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1840*	1805	1840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	430	2252	215	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	980	2253	490	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1530	2254	765	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2080	2255	1040	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	300	2401	150	Notice of Appeal	
1402	300	2402	150	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	300	2403	150	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1510	1451	1510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive – unavoidable	
1453	1370	2453	685	Petition to revive – unintentional	
1501	1370	2501	685	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	490	2502	245	Design issue fee	
1503	660	2503	330	Plant issue fee	
1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	$\sqsubseteq$
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	790	2809	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1810	790	2810	395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
1801	790	2801	395	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee	(specify	)			
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**PATENT** 

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**Applicants** 

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POLYMERIC SYSTEMS FOR DRUG DELIVERY AND USES

**THEREOF** 

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## RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

#### Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated September 16, 2004, please find enclosed the following documents:

<u>X</u>	Fee
	Oath/Declaration
<u>X</u> ,	Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts
	Sheets of Replacement Drawings

Respectfully submitted,

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#### NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

#### Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

378.00 OP

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below. however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

 Additional claim fees of \$1014 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

#### **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1914 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1014

■ \$258 for 3 independent claims over 3.

• \$756 for 42 total claims over 20.

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